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Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 USC 111(a) and 37 CFR 1.53(b) is a new utility patent application for an invention entitled:

# METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR HEATING A ZONE OF AN ELONGATE TUBULAR ARTICLE

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